

Prisms Cast Light on Hindu's Cure-All Gadget

NEW YORK.—An all-silkman jury in Brooklyn federal court placed glass prisms on their noses and rotated them to the frame-to look at colored charts and throw a little light on the case of the Government vs. S. S. Choudhury.

Exhibit No. 1 in the civil suit is a bright blue box-like machine on wheels, featuring "rotated colored slides" and aligned by its distributor, Dr. S. S. Choudhury, of Malaga, N. J., to have curative powers for healing hearts, consumption, leucemia and other ills.

Assistant United States District Attorney Morris S. Siegel objected to the so-called "miraculous" machine.

"Please, please, Mr. Counselor," said the velvet-capped Hindu inventor. "This is an experiment. You cannot say because you have no crystal. A prism for the honorable counselor, please."

Aachen Schools Opened Under Care of Yanks

PARIS.—Children of Aachen—850 little German boys and girls—began to learn reading, writing and arithmetic in 10 public schools opened by the United States 14th army in the ancient city.

The 22 carefully screened teachers included two Catholic nuns, 18 other women and two men. Their essential job is re-education of German youth. The schools, however, there are courses in religion, gymnastics and music.

Roundly, the children are devoted as to of an obedient to the military. They are allowed to read according to our will. The books of these children must be turned—they must be taught the principles of world society.

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Balloon Cloth Print

When pretty prints are cotton, and drapes like crepe, that's a real summer discovery for cool good looks and its name is balloon cloth.

The cloth was discovered by Lt. John J. Stack Jr. of San Francisco, who was on duty at the 14th Army military government detachment, and his assistants.

The major value of the hoard was in its securities. Stack and his men found foreign securities, representing the major wealth of Austria, which were valued at \$3,000,000,000, and estimated at \$2,000,000,000, also were discovered.

Headquarters said suitcases and boxes bulging with watches, bracelets, and other gold jewelry stolen from the Nazis were found in the vaults.

Some 2,200 pounds of silver bullion melted down from stolen silver were found in the vaults. A solid gold tabernacle from a Russian Orthodox church in Prague, Czechoslovakia, stood in one corner, an announcement said.

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Find 5 Billion Nazi Treasure

National Wealth of Austria And Bavaria Unearthed By U. S. Troops.

PARIS.—A vast Nazi treasure hoard valued at \$5,000,000,000, including the main national wealth of Austria and Bavaria and lost stolen from death camp victims and deserted churches, has been uncovered by American troops, according to the Associated Press.

Announcement of the find was made by communications zone headquarters and was based on information from the United States 12th corps, whose troops discovered the treasure. Most of it was in securities.

Zone headquarters said it lacked information as to how values were estimated and whether they were face values or actual current market worth.

Part greater in estimated value than the cache of 200 tons of gold found on April 1 at Merkers, 18 miles southeast of Hersfeld in Thuringia, the new trove was discovered by troops of the same corps that unearthed the gold hoard from a salt mine.

The second treasure trove, including securities, stolen jewelry, church property and gold bullion, was found in the vaults of the Regensburg reichsbank, zone headquarters said.

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Safer Landings By New Chute

Dangerous Oscillation Is Avoided and Cheaper Materials Used.

WASHINGTON.—Precision parachuting has been achieved through a new type of parachute hilt, a secret for reasons of military security.

The new parachute is immune to the dangerous oscillation in descent common to conventional parachutes and can therefore be launched on desired targets with much greater accuracy than has hitherto been possible, a special to the Chicago Tribune reports.

The parachute is so efficient that it can be satisfactorily manufactured without critical materials such as silk or nylon which are needed in conventional parachutes to withstand strains, according to the Army and Navy Journal, unofficial organ of the military services.

Parachutes of the new type have been made with ordinary rayon and cotton sheeting.

Safer Landings. Another advantage claimed for the new parachute is safe launching from planes going at a much higher speed than is possible with the old style parachutes.

The magazine says the new parachute is called the "baseball" parachute because it is constructed in the hemispheric shape through the sewing together of material cut in the form of a figure eight in the manner of a baseball cover.

Conventional parachutes are cut in the form of a flat circle and are distorted into a parabolic shape when inflated by the load on their shroud lines, it is explained. Unequal distribution of air pressure within the canopy of such parachutes causes the spinning of air alternately from one side and the other, resulting in the swaying which seriously affects accuracy.

Shock Distributed. The "baseball" parachute, the magazine says, receives the initial shock of opening equally distributed over its entire surface, and this shock is further absorbed by a floating cord in the hem of the parachute which acts as a shock absorber. It falls without oscillation.

The magazine reports that the "baseball" parachute has been used in special operations requiring precision, such as B-29 mine laying operations in Japanese islands.

Shipping lanes, the aerial delivery of delicate radar equipment, and the dropping of portable radio transmitters.

The new parachute is described as the first major advance in parachute design since the development of heavier than air craft.

Leonard P. Frier, president, and Walter Finken, chief engineer of General Textile Mills, Inc., developed the "baseball" parachute, according to the magazine.

UNRRA asks for funds from allied nations to carry on its program in Europe.

Several score paintings from Munich cathedral valued at nearly \$1,000,000 were found, along with 1,500 rare books which were hidden in the homes of a priest and a schoolmaster in the hands of 40 houses.

The find was made by men of the 94th cavalry reconnaissance squadron, led by Lt. Robert Newkirk of Detroit, Mich. The collections had been moved from Munich to escape Allied air raids.

Malaria 'Cure' Is Made From Hair, Japanese Say

NEW YORK.—The Tokyo radio said that a scientist at the Keio medical college had discovered an effective substitute for quinine "obtained from a certain element contained in human hair."

"It is claimed that one single injection of this new remedy is sufficient to cure malaria," said the broadcast, which was recorded by the Associated Press. "Unlike quinine, this remedy is administered by injection only."

"In view of the great demand for such an effective remedy in the southern regions, large scale production of this new medicine already is in full progress in factories here."

Possible that atomic bomb may be held as means of enforcing the peace.

Pulpwood needed in the war effort.

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Buckingham

Buckingham, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Sara S. Beasley and children are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright.

Miss Ellen Stanley, of Roanoke, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stanley.

Audrey Page spent last week with Ruby Watson.

Thomas Stanley is spending this week in Roanoke.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ed Glover spent Sunday evening in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glover.

Those who called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stanley Sunday afternoon were Mrs. A. W. Shier, Mrs. F. H. Gowin and children.

Miss Gene Fielder, of Roanoke, spent the week-end with Misses Ellen and Alice Stanley.

Pvt. Homsey Stanley is home on a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Stanley, after serving two years overseas.

Miss Gene Fielder is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Stanley.

Mrs. Joshua Jam on continues ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack LeSeuer.

Part of the material used in the making of the atomic bomb was made in Virginia. Experiments carried on over large area.

Vatican says new atomic bomb will be temporary to future generations.

German uniforms disappearing from streets in Berlin.

Atomic motive power used as far distant.

Telephone calls in Virginia.

Three polo cases in Virginia.

Telephoned 300 with Personal.

Take easy winner in Tuesday's Democratic primary.

Petain trial still in progress.

Use of community canny on increase here.

Atom bomb may bring ultimatum to Japan.

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Rocks News

Rocks, Aug. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ranson received the 12th of August to spend a few days with them.

Mrs. H. Y. Gowin went to Appomattox Tuesday to see the doctor. Mr. Gowin also went with her.

Mrs. John Ranson and son, Rhomy Wilson and daughter, Mrs. Maude Ranson made a business trip to Farmville, this morning.

L. M. Southall is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Southall, of Farmville, this morning.

Earlean Rosser has returned to her home in Richmond, Va., after a two week visit in Richmond and Newport News.

Etta Austin, of Washington, D. C., has been visiting in the home of Mrs. C. C. Rosser.

Mrs. J. A. Rooker, of Lynchburg, Ky., are spending a few days with Mrs. C. C. Rosser.

Mrs. P. B. Stratton fell at her home last Sunday and broke a bone in her wrist. We are sorry, and wish for her a speedy recovery.

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Stonewall

Stonewall, July 31.—(Omitted last week.) The Stonewall Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Clayton Drinkard on Monday with a good attendance.

The revival has closed at Bethel Church, Rev. W. A. Clark, the pastor, preached splendid sermons all the week.

Mrs. A. R. Harwood, of Appomattox visited Mrs. G. P. Jennings last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Clark and Miss Alva Moore were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Moore last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Turnes and Miss Mildred Morgan attended the Turner reunion at his sister's, at Cullen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beard and son, Lawrence, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beard Sunday.

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600,000 Nazis To Toil For U. S.

Of 2,852,000 Prisoners Held By Our Armies, 200,000 Will Go to France.

PARIS.—United States armies, which held 2,852,000 German prisoners in Europe when victory came, will keep 800,000 of them as laborers, said Col. Robert J. Gill, chief of the Associated Press.

From 200,000 to 225,000 more American-held prisoners will be assigned to France for labor in this country, said Col. Gill.

With nearly 500,000 prisoners in the United States and 25,000 more in Great Britain, Col. Gill estimated it would take at least nine months to reduce the number to 600,000 by various means, some of which still have not yet been decided.

He reiterated previous statements of high American military authorities that German prisoners would be "permitted" to remove land mines, but declined further comment on that subject.

He emphasized, however, that all prisoners for armament of the United States in the rehabilitation of battered Europe were based on the rules of the convention—had ceased to exist.

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